



Spring Training Institute & National Autism Symposium

FEATURING

Darryl Turpin	Ray Daugherty
Marlene Wong	Rev. Ladell Flowers
Susan James-Andrews	John Vandenberg
Martinjn Dekker	Dr. Chignoli
Dennis Debbaudt	Dr. Kay Toomey
Dr. Woody McGinnis	
and many other experts in the field	

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**May 18-21, 2005
Tan-Tar-A Resort and Conference Center
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Welcome

A Word from the Director

Dear Colleague,

I am pleased to invite you to the Department of Mental Health's annual Spring Training Institute and the National Autism Symposium. We hope you will benefit from the opportunity to learn from experts in the fields of mental health, developmental disabilities, and substance abuse while also interacting with other professionals, family members, and persons needing services and supports from all three of the Department's operating divisions.

This year's theme, *Building for Tomorrow*, reflects our pledge to provide Missourians challenged by mental illness, substance abuse disorders, and developmental disabilities with services that are timely, effective, and efficient. In spite of these difficult financial times, we must stay abreast of the latest research and best practices in order to maintain a quality of care that results in the best possible outcomes for our consumers and their families.

It is important for you to know that both events are funded through conference registration fees, co-sponsorships, and exhibitor fees so that consumer services are in no way compromised. It is only through this external support that we are able to provide you with such high quality training year after year. Many of your staff and ours would be unable to maintain necessary professional licensure and certification without it. In addition, consumers and family members provide powerful input and have the opportunity to benefit as self-advocates. The Department's Spring Institute and National Autism Symposium demonstrates our ongoing commitment to a workforce that is caring, competent, and valued.

Sincerely,



Dorn Schuffman, Director
Department of Mental Health



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Information

This Year

The National Autism Symposium, an annual event of the Division of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities, and the Spring Training Institute will be held jointly again this year. A schedule of events for both is included in this brochure. Please note that these are preliminary programs and are subject to change. Other areas of interest will be added as presenters are confirmed. Please check the Department of Mental Health's web site at www.dmh.missouri.gov for periodic updates to both programs.

Registration and Fees

Registration forms for the Spring Training Institute and the National Autism Symposium are included in this brochure. Please register for the event of primary interest to you. This year conference participants will have the opportunity to attend both workshops for a nominal registration fee; please refer to the registration forms for prices.

Spring Training Institute

The registration fee for the Spring Training Institute is \$125 per person and includes all instructional materials, refreshment breaks, continental breakfasts, two luncheons, and CEU's. The daily registration fee is \$50 per person. The registration deadline is **May 1, 2005** and the fee may be paid by check, purchase order, or money order. Checks should be **made payable to: ACT Missouri (ACT MO)**. Checks and registration forms should be **mailed to** Spring Training Institute, Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse, 1706 E. Elm Street, P.O. Box 687, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.

National Autism Symposium

The registration fee for the National Autism Symposium is \$95 per person and includes all instructional materials, refreshment breaks, continental breakfasts, and a luncheon. The daily registration fee is \$50 per person. The registration deadline is **May 1, 2005**, and the fee may be paid by check, purchase order, or money order. Checks should be **made payable to: ACT Missouri (ACT MO)**. Checks and registration forms should be **mailed to:** National Autism Symposium, Division of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities, 1706 E. Elm Street, P.O. Box 687, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.

Exhibit Hall

Exhibit booths are available on a first come basis. Exhibits will be located in Windgate Hall where all meal functions and refreshment breaks will be held. An application form for booth space is included in this brochure. The exhibit fee includes booth space for the Spring Training Institute and the National Autism Symposium. If you choose to participate in both events, there is no additional fee. Please review the instructions for booth set-up and teardown on the registration form.

Conference Location

The Spring Training Institute and the National Autism Symposium will be held at Tan-Tar-A Resort and Conference Center, Lake of the Ozarks, Osage Beach, Missouri. A block of guest rooms will be held until **April 20, 2005** at the conference rate of \$78 per night. After that time, rooms will be reserved on a space available basis. To make hotel reservations, call Tan-Tar-A at (573) 348-3131 or (800) 826-8272. **Identify yourself as an attendee of the Department of Mental Health Spring Conference to receive the group rate. You are encouraged to make your reservation early!**

Conference Check-In

Spring Training Institute

Registration for the **Spring Training Institute** will be in the Grand Ballroom Foyer, Convention Registration Desk, (sixth floor) as follows:

Tuesday	May 17	7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Wednesday	May 18	7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Thursday	May 19	7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

National Autism Symposium

Registration for the **National Autism Symposium** will be in the Grand Ballroom Foyer, Convention Registration Desk, (sixth floor) as follows:

Thursday	May 19	7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Friday	May 20	7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Saturday	May 21	7:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Information

Respite Care – Autism Symposium

On-site child/adult respite care for persons age three and above with autism, and their siblings, with a parent co-pay of \$50 per child, per day, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday will be available for children of parents registered for the National Autism Symposium and registered at Tan-Tar-A Resort. The co-pay partially covers the cost of respite, lunch, and snacks. Respite will include individual and group activities, swimming at the hotel pool, and various outings, as appropriate. The respite care service is limited to the first thirty (30) persons registered by mail. As the number of respite users is limited, a confirmed respite reservation will be necessary and will be available only on days the parent is registered for the Symposium. Please register for this service as soon as possible as respite fills up quickly. Pre-registration, including co-pay, is required. Families will be responsible for providing food for any special diets. Please complete the respite care registration form included in this brochure for each individual who will be participating and return with your symposium registration form to the address indicated.

Special Needs

The Department of Mental Health complies with guidelines set forth in the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. If you have special needs as addressed by the ADA, please contact Marie Peoples prior to the Spring Training Institute at (573) 751-4942 or e-mail marie.peoples@dmh.mo.gov. Reasonable efforts will be made to accommodate any special needs. *Real time captioning will be provided during all plenary sessions.*

Cancellations and Refunds

Registration fees for the Spring Training Institute and National Autism Symposium will be refunded for cancellations received by **May 1**. No refunds will be given after that date. *Please notify us if you plan to send a substitute. Notice of cancellation and substitution must be submitted in writing and faxed to the number on the appropriate registration form.* Registrants who do not attend the conference and do not notify us are responsible for full payment.

Continuing Education Units

Spring Training Institute

The Missouri Substance Abuse Counselors Certification Board has approved the Spring Training Institute for 16 contact hours.

The Mid-America Addiction Technology Transfer Center is providing CEU's through the University of Missouri-Kansas City for this Department of Mental Health event.

Applications for continuing education credit are being submitted to the National Association of Social Workers—Missouri Chapter, and the Region VII Rehabilitation Continuing Education Program, University of Missouri, Columbia.

NOTE: If you are seeking continuing education credit for a specialty not listed above, it is your responsibility to contact your licensing/certification board directly to determine eligibility of this training to meet your CEU requirement.

Certificates of completion, indicating contact hours earned, will be mailed to all participants after the Institute.

National Autism Symposium

Information regarding continuing education credit for this event will be available at a later date.

Questions?

Spring Training Institute

For more information about the **Spring Training Institute**, please contact Marie Peoples at the Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse, (573) 751-4942.

National Autism Symposium

For more information about the **National Autism Symposium**, please contact Linda Massman at the Division of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities at (573) 751-4054.

Speakers

Keynote Speakers

Darryl Turpin has worked in the substance abuse and criminal justice fields for approximately 18 years, nine of those years in the Drug Court setting. He is founder and CEO of Turpin Consulting Group, located in his hometown of Louisville Kentucky. Additionally, Mr. Turpin serves on the Board of Directors for the National Association of Drug Court Professionals (NADCP). He is also the Chairperson of Thurgood Marshall Action Coalition (TMAC). Most recently, Mr. Turpin was the Branch Manager of Program Development for the Kentucky Department of Juvenile Justice. He provided oversight to various programs across the state of Kentucky, including the coordination of Prevention Councils, Mentoring Programs, Faith-Based Initiatives and Disproportionate Minority Confinement. Mr. Turpin has also served as faculty for the National Association of Drug Court Professionals and Drug Court Institute, the National Council for Juvenile and Family Court Judges, the Kentucky School of Alcohol and Drug Studies, National Black Addictions Institute and the International Treating People of Color Conference. He has served as consultant to American University, National Treatment Alternatives to Street Crimes (TASC), Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT), and the Bureau of Justice Assistance. Mr. Turpin received a bachelor's degree in social work counseling, from Kentucky State University and is a Certified Alcohol Drug Counselor (CADC). He is currently attending Kentucky State University where he is pursuing a Master's degree in Public Administration.

Woody McGinnis, M.D. is a behavioral nutritionist. He began learning about nutritional influences on behavior through his own son ten years ago and successfully treated many autistic children in private practice. Since 2001, he has emphasized research and education in the physical determinants of autism and other behavioral disorders. He organized and coordinates the Oxidative Stress in Autism Study, a first-of-its-kind university collaboration generating data on a wide range of sophisticated oxidative-stress biomarkers. The study is funded by private donors and the NIH.

Martijn Dekker, from the Netherlands, is diagnosed with high functioning autism. Martijn has appeared on Dutch and Belgian national television explaining what autism is like for high functioning people and has presented for meetings of the Dutch autism society (NVA). Mr. Dekker has spoken at a number of conferences about high functioning autistic people and their needs, including the 2000 ASA in Atlanta and the International Symposium on Autism in Arnhem, Netherlands. Since July 1996, he has been running a world-wide support group for people on the autism spectrum through the medium that, by way of our social interaction disability, fits us best - the Internet. His group, InLv or "Independent Living on the Autistic Spectrum", has been recognized in the New York Times. He now runs and co-runs similar groups in Dutch and Swedish.

John VanDenBerg is an internationally recognized authority on systems of care and the wraparound process for children and youth with complex emotional needs and their families. A child psychologist, he has lectured and trained in all 50 states, in all Canadian Provinces, and in other countries. He has worked equally with juvenile justice, schools, child welfare, and children's mental health agencies at the Federal, state, and local levels. He has dedicated his professional life to the improvement of services to children and families, and is the President of Vroon VanDenBerg LLP, an innovative firm supporting counties, states, and provinces in their reform efforts.

Kay Toomey, Ph.D., Denver, Colorado is a pediatric psychologist who specializes in assessing and treating children with feeding difficulties. She is co-founder of Children's Hospital Oral Feeding Clinic in Denver and is director of Colorado Pediatric Therapy and Feeding Specialists, Inc. She is best known for developing the multi-disciplined Sequential, Oral, Sensory (SOS) Approach to Feeding and presents seminars around the country to meet the growing demand from parents and health care providers for more information. Toomey is the author of "When Children Won't Eat: Managing and Preventing Problematic Eating Patterns in Children with Autism."

Super Session Presenters

Susan James-Andrews has been active in the field of Behavioral Health Services for over 20 years. Originating from New York, Ms. James-Andrews is President of James-Andrews & Associates: Challenges, a training and consultative organization based in Mitchellville, Maryland. Ms. James-Andrews has concentrated her efforts in substance abuse prevention and treatment, strategic planning, sustainability, culturally relevant services, quality improvement and program development/enhancement. She has provided training or technical assistance for over 500 state courts, and 40 tribal courts and has consulted in all 50 states and the Caribbean. Ms. James-Andrews has been a consultant for the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP), Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT), the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA), Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP), Native American Alliance Foundation, (NAAF) and the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges (NCJFCJ) amongst many others.

Marlene Wong, Ms. Wong is Director of School Crisis and Intervention Unit at the National Center for Child Traumatic Stress at UCLA and at Duke University, funded by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) of the US Department of Health and Human Service. She also serves as Director of Crisis Counseling and Intervention for the Los Angeles Unified School District, the second largest school district in the US with over 750,000 students K-12. Identified by the Wall Street Journal as one of the “architects” of school safety programs, Ms. Wong has developed school crisis teams and general mental health programs for school districts and law enforcement personnel in the United States, Canada and Asia. As a consultant to the US Department of Education, she has organized mental health recovery programs after many of the tragic school shootings and the terrorist attacks in Oklahoma City, New York, and Washington, DC., as well as training school staffs and programs after natural disasters and incidents of civil unrest. Ms. Wong currently serves on the National Academy of Sciences, Institute of Medicine Board on Neuroscience and Behavioral Health.

Beverly Watts Davis, Director, Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP), Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) has extensive experience with managing and administering multi-site community grant programs and comprehensive prevention, early intervention projects targeted to: children and adolescents; ethnic minorities; pregnant and postpartum women; and ex-prisoners reentering society. *Invited*

Reverend Ladell Flowers is currently the Executive Director for Dismas House of Kansas City, Inc., (DHKC), and Assistant Pastor of Heart of America Christian Fellowship Church. He supervised the DHKC community corrections center for twenty-eight years directing all inpatient (*residential*) and outpatient programs. Between 1977 and 2002, DHKC provided residential treatment services to ex-offenders and substance abuse victims who were under the supervision of the Jackson County Courts, the Missouri Department of Corrections, The United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, the United States Community Relations Service, the United States Probation and Parole Offices, the United States Pre-Trial Services and the United States Department of Justice. Dismas House Of Kansas City, Inc. currently provides intensive outpatient substance abuse counseling to Jackson County residents. In 1990, Reverend Flowers served as the chairman for the United States National Cuban Haitian Primary Resettlement Task Force. He is also an Adjunct Faculty member for the Kansas City Metropolitan Community Colleges’ Penn Valley Campus in the Criminal Justice Department. His classes are aired weekly on Comcast and Time Warner Cable Television. He has extensive experience in managing faith-based community correction programs and has over 8000 hours of group and individual counseling experience. He has positively touched the lives of thousands of men and women across the United States.

Dennis Debbaudt wrote for the Detroit News in the 1980’s. He researched for Monthly Detroit Magazine and worked with network television current affairs programs in the U.S., Canada and United Kingdom. A professional investigator and journalist, Dennis turned his attention to autism spectrum disorders in 1987 after his son was diagnosed with this condition. Over the past decade he’s authored numerous articles and books including *Autism, Advocates and Law Enforcement Professionals: Recognizing and Reducing Risk Situations for People with Autism Spectrum Disorders* for Jessica Kingsley Publishers, London UK (2002) and *Contact with Individuals with Autism: Effective Resolutions* with Darla Rothman. In 1999, he was instrumental in the development of the state of Maryland’s Police and Correctional Training Commission’s curriculum, *Why Law Enforcement Needs to Recognize Autism*, the Autism Society of America Excellence In Media award-winning *Autism Awareness Video for Law Enforcement* and consulted to ABC News 20/20 for a segment about false confession and autism. Dennis’ new *Autism & Law Enforcement Roll Call Briefing Video* was released in April, 2004, and will be presented at the Symposium session.

Wednesday

Wednesday, May 18

7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Registration
8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Opening Remarks
9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Opening Keynote Address
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Luncheon/Visit Exhibits
12:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Exhibit Hall Open
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Keynote Session
2:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibits
4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions

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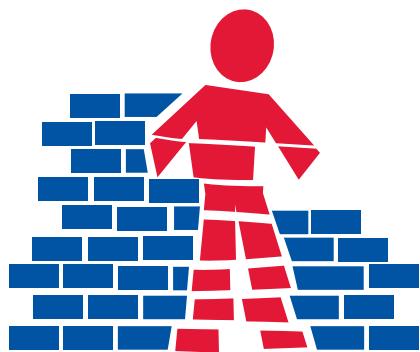
Building for Tomorrow – Darryl Turpin, Turpin Consulting Group, Louisville, Kentucky & member of Board of Directors for the National Association of Drug Court Professionals (NADCP), & Chairperson of Thurgood Marshall Action Coalition (TMAC).

KEYNOTE SESSION

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Beverly Watts Davis., Director of CSAP. *Invited*



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CONCURRENT SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18 • 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

“Suicide Prevention” – Dr Joseph Parks MD, Medical Director, Department of Mental Health, Deputy Division Director for Psychiatry, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Risk Reduction Strategies for Adolescents STD’s” – Dr Lynch, Chief Section of Adolescent Medicine, Children’s Mercy Hospital & Clinics, Kansas City, Missouri

“How to Get Freedom from Fear, Guilt, Worry, Resentment, Discouragement, and Loneliness in Recovery” – Dr Robert Perkinson, Clinical Director, Keystone Carroll Treatment Center, Canton, South Dakota

CIMOR LIVE! – The DMH CIMOR system will be coming your way soon. DMH facilities and contract providers will be using the new system in place of existing systems such as CTRAC and MRDD/IS. An overview and demonstration of CIMOR functionality will be presented.

“Introduction to Smart Treatment Planning” – Alicia Wendler, Mid-America ATTC/Project Manager: Evaluation and Curriculum Development, Kansas City, Missouri

“Risking Connections” – Elizabeth Vermilyea, Sidran Traumatic Stress Institute, Baltimore, Maryland

“Meth 101” – Captain Ron Replogle, Division Director, Missouri State Highway Patrol, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Crisis Intervention Teams” – Dr. Dick Gregory, Chief Executive Officer, Western Missouri Mental Health Center, Kansas City, Missouri

“Women, Parenting , Trauma & the Criminal Justice System” – Joan Gillace PhD, Director, MHA Division of Health & Mental Hygiene, Jessup, Maryland

The Power of Procovery – Kathleen Crowley, Director, Procovery Training & Development for the Health Action Network, Los Angeles, California

Wednesday

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18 • 2:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

“Achieving Lasting Behavior Change: Change the Perception of Risk” – Ray Daugherty, President, Prevention Research Institute, Lexington, Kentucky

“Bridging the Gap Between Prevention and Recovery” – Ray Daugherty, President, Prevention Research Institute, Lexington, Kentucky

“Setting up a Faith Based Substance Abuse Program” – Daphne Walker-Thoth, Principal Investigator and Project Director, Missouri Institute of Mental Health (MIMH), Kansas City, Missouri, and acting Executive Director for Committed Caring Faith Communities & Raymond Little Sr., Program Specialist, Missouri Institute of Mental Health (MIMH), University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri

“Ensuring Ethical Practice in Today’s Society” – Tamitha R. Price, National Association of Social Workers – Missouri Chapter, Jefferson City, Missouri

The Power of Procovery – Kathleen Crowley, Director, Procovery Training & Development for the Health Action Network, Los Angeles, California

“Engaging Young African American Males in Treatment” – Darryl Turpin, Turpin Consulting Group, Louisville, Kentucky & member of Board of Directors for the National Association of Drug Court Professionals (NADCP), & Chairperson of Thurgood Marshall Action Coalition (TMAC).

“Growing Beyond Survival” – Elizabeth Vermilyea, Sidran Traumatic Stress Institute, Baltimore, Maryland

“National Resources for Developing Cultural Competence” – Vivian Jackson, LICSW, Senior Policy Associate, National Center for Cultural Competence, Georgetown University, Washington DC; & Tawara Goode, MA, Director, National Center for Cultural Competence (NCCC), Georgetown University, Washington DC

“Before They Fall off the Cliff” – Danny Wedding, PhD, MPH, Missouri Institute of Mental Health, St. Louis, Missouri

“Developing Comprehensive Partnerships for People Exiting the Criminal Justice System” – Joan Gillace PhD, Director, MHA Division of Health & Mental Hygiene, Jessup, Maryland

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18 • 4:00 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

“Personal Safety for Case Managers” – Mark Brennan, MA, Missouri Institute of Mental Health (MIMH), St Louis, Missouri

“Substance Abuse Treatment a Partner in the Prevention of Perinatal HIV Transmission” – Elizabeth Miller

“Incorporating Substance Abuse Prevention into Existing Ministries” – Sharon Ema, RN, CSAC, Concordia Lutheran Church, & Rev Ellen Maher-Forney, BA, Church of Scientology, St Louis, Missouri

Issues with Hepatitis C and HIV – Dr David Parks, Central West Healthcare, St. Louis, Missouri

“Providing Mental Health Services for Minority Children” – Aminifu Harvey, Fayetteville State University, Department of Social Work, Fayetteville, North Carolina

“Emotional First Aid: A Missouri Model” – Lynn Carter, Coordinator, Disaster Readiness, Department of Mental Health, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Building an Infrastructure for Cultural Competence” – Dr. Jose Reyes, Cultural Competency Consulting, Denver, Colorado

“Medication Risk Management” – Dr. Joseph Parks MD, Deputy Division Director for Psychiatry, Department of Mental Health, Division of Comprehensive Psychiatric Services, Jefferson City, Missouri

“MO Re-Entry Process” – Julie Boehm, Reentry Manager, Missouri Department of Corrections, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Dealing with Substance Abuse in Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities” – Dr. Robijn Hornstra, Medical Director, Western Missouri Mental Health Center

Thursday

Thursday, May 19

7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Registration
7:30 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Exhibit Hall Open
8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Super Sessions
9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Concurrent Sessions
11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibits
11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Luncheon/Visit Exhibits
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Keynote Address
2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibits
3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
7:00 p.m.	Open Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting

SUPER SESSIONS

THURSDAY, MAY 19
8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

“Preventing School Place Violence” – Marlene Wong, Director, School Crisis and Intervention Unit, National Center for Child Traumatic Stress, UCLA and Duke University, Director, Crisis Counseling and Intervention Services, Los Angeles Unified School District, Los Angeles, California

“Faith Based Initiative & Access to Recovery” – Reverend Ladell Flowers, Executive Director for Dismas House of Kansas City, Inc., (DHKC), & Assistant Pastor of Heart of America Christian Fellowship Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

“Utilizing A Strength Based Approach” – Susan James-Andrews, President, James-Andrews & Associates: Challenges, Mitchellville, Maryland

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

THURSDAY, MAY 19 • 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

“The Co-Occurring Matrix Quadrants: Clinical Utility” – Richard Ries, MD, Professor of Psychiatry, Director, Division of Addictions, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

“School Crisis Intervention & Prevention” – Marlene Wong, Director, School Crisis and Intervention Unit, National Center for Child Traumatic Stress, UCLA and Duke University, Director, Crisis Counseling and Intervention Services, Los Angeles Unified School District, Los Angeles, California

“Integrating Substance Abuse Prevention with HIV/AIDS Prevention: A Look at the Girls Holla Back Program” – Brendolyn Bailey-Burch, Principal Investigator, University of Missouri, School of Medicine, Missouri Institute of Mental Health (MIMH), Columbia, Missouri, & Dr Jeffrey G. Noel, Research Assistant Professor, Missouri Institute of Mental Health (MIMH), Columbia, Missouri

“Cultural Competencies: Issues for Problem Gambling & Other Substance Issues” – Deborah Haskins, Ph.D., Director of Field Education, Loyola College, Baltimore, Maryland

“Motivating Adolescents to Recover” – Tammy Bell, President, Tammy Bell & Associates, Charlotte North Carolina

“Girls/Women and Trauma: Why aren’t we listening?” – Susan James-Andrews, President, James-Andrews & Associates: Challenges, Mitchellville, Maryland

“Serving Latino Immigrants” – Dr Chignoli, President & CEO, La Clinica, St. Louis, Missouri

“Methadone TX Planning” – Cynthia Banfield-Weir, LICSW, Community Health Care, Chicopee, Massachusetts

“Re-entry Planning for Persons with Co-Occurring Disorders” – Dr Holly Hills, Associate Professor, Department of Mental Health Law & Policy, Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute, University of South Florida; Clinical Psychologist, Trainer, & Consultant, Tampa Florida

“Homeless Missouri Information System: Census Data Information” – Tom Gould, MASW, HMIS Project Director, Missouri Association for Social Welfare, The Center for Social Justice, Jefferson City, Missouri

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

THURSDAY, MAY 19 • 11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

"Passing Smoke Free Ordinances" – Bronson Frick, Associate Director, Americans for Nonsmokers' Rights, Berkeley, California

"Science of Addiction" – Wilson Compton, MD, MPE, Director, Division of Epidemiology Services & Preservation Research, National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), Bethesda, Maryland

"Helping Addicted Individuals Learn to Nurture Their Spirits" – Rev. Isaac C. McCullough, Pastor, Christ Community United Methodist Church, St. Louis, Missouri, & Daphne Walker-Thoth, Principal Investigator and Project Director, Missouri Institute of Mental Health (MIMH), Kansas City, Missouri, and acting Executive Director for Committed Caring Faith Communities

"Cultural Competencies: Issues for Problem Gambling & Other Substance Issues" – Deborah Haskins, Ph.D., Director of Field Education, Loyola College, Baltimore, Maryland

"Engaging Families" – Susan James-Andrews, President, James-Andrews & Associates: Challenges, Mitchellville, Maryland

"Addressing the Treatment Needs of Women with Histories of Trauma" – Dr Holly Hills, Associate Professor, Department of Mental Health Law & Policy, Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute, University of South Florida; Clinical Psychologist, Trainer, & Consultant, Tampa Florida

"The Diversity Journey" – Alvin Plummer, President, ASUNPLUMMER LLC, Columbia, Missouri

"Methadone Trends" – Cynthia Banfield-Weir, LICSW, Community Health Care, Chicopee, Massachusetts

"Evolution of Oral Fluid Drug & Alcohol Testing" – Brian Feeley, Director of Sales, OraSure Technologies, Inc., Substance Abuse Testing Products, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

"Obtaining and Using Housing Grants: Innovative Approaches to Combine Housing and Supportive Services to Individuals and Families, with An Emphasis on Special Needs" – Jane Reid Higdon, MA, Community Care Program-Ozark Center, Joplin, Missouri; Michael Williams, Economic Security Corp. of Southwest Area; Shawn Sando, Family Counseling Center, Kennett, Missouri; and Ray Francis, Church Army, Branson, Missouri

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

SALON A/B • 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

"Children's Issues" – John VanDenBerg PhD, President, Vroon Vandenberg LLP, Denver, Colorado.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

THURSDAY, MAY 19 • 3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

"Passing Smoke Free Ordinances" – Bronson Frick, Associate Director, Americans for Nonsmokers' Rights, Berkeley, California

"Working with Dysfunctional Parents" – Tammy Bell, President, Tammy Bell & Associates, Charlotte, North Carolina

"Substance Abuse Showcase" – Missouri Faith-Based

"Use of Psychotropics for Children & Adolescents" – Steve Stoner, Pharm.D., BCPP, UMKC School of Pharmacy and the Northwest Missouri Psychiatric Rehabilitation Center; Clinical Associate Professor, Kansas City, Missouri

"Commitment Process" – Dr. Rick Gowdy Ph.D., Director, Forensic Services, Department of Mental Health, Division of Comprehensive Psychiatric Services, Jefferson City, Missouri

"Child Traumatic Stress" – Marlene Wong, Director, School Crisis and Intervention Unit, National Center for Child Traumatic Stress, UCLA and Duke University, Director, Crisis Counseling and Intervention Services, Los Angeles Unified School District, Los Angeles, California

"Psychotropic Update" – Dr. Roger W. Sommi, Pharm.D., BCPP, FCCP, Professor of Pharmacy Practice & Psychiatry, UMKC Schools of Pharmacy and Medicine, Kansas City, Missouri

"Medications for Severely Mentally Ill Patients with Co-Occurring Disorders" – Richard Ries MD, Professor of Psychiatry, Director, Division of Addictions, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

"Substance & Mental Health Issues Faced by Bosnian Americans" – Davorka Marodic-Johnson, LPC, Bi-Lingual International Assistant Services, St. Louis, Missouri

"Procovery Circles Self-Help in your Community: Perspective Across the State" – Consumer panel, Comprehensive Psychiatric Services

Friday

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

SALON A/B • 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

“On Our Own Terms: Emerging Autistic Culture” – Martijn Dekker, Adult on the Autism Spectrum, Groningen, Netherlands

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 10:15 a.m. - 11:15 p.m.

“SPF” – Charles Williams, Department of Mental Health, Division of Alcohol & Drug Abuse, Jefferson City, Missouri; & Sarah Fisher, SIG Coordinator, Prevention Unit, Department of Mental Health, Division of Alcohol & Drug Abuse, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Mental Health & Aging” – Debra O’Neill, MBA, MSW, LCSW, Missouri Institute of Mental Health (MIMH), St. Louis, Missouri; & Debbie Emmelkamp, MSW, LCSW, President, Decision Point Consulting, Inc., St Louis, Missouri

“Federal and Local Resources for the Faith Community-Committed Caring Faith Communities and the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment” – Glenda McCullough, Administrative Assistant, Committed Caring Faith Communities & Daphne Walker-Thoth, Principal Investigator and Project Director, Missouri Institute of Mental Health (MIMH), Kansas City, Missouri, and acting Executive Director for Committed Caring Faith Communities

“All About SATOP” – George Norman, SATOP, Department of Mental Health, Division of Alcohol & Drug Abuse, Jefferson City, Missouri & Treka Young, Department of Mental Health, Division of Alcohol & Drug Abuse, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Comprehensive Children’s Mental Health” – Linda Roebuck, Department of Mental Health, Jefferson City, Missouri

“The Diversity Journey” – Alvin Plummer, President, ASUNPLUMMER LLC, Columbia, Missouri

“Drug Testing” – Paul L. Cary, M.S., Director of Toxicology and Drug Monitoring Laboratory, University of Missouri Health Care System, Columbia, Missouri.

“DWI Court Trends” – Judge Darrell Stevens, Butler County Supreme Court, Chico, California

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11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Breakfast/Visit Exhibits

Exhibit Hall Open

Keynote Address (jointly with Autism Symposium participants)

Concurrent Sessions

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“Obtaining & Using Housing Grants: Innovative Approaches to Combine Housing and Supportive Services to Individuals, with An Emphasis on Special Needs (continued)” – Gregory Vogelwied, Chief Operating Office, St Patrick Center, St. Louis, Missouri; & Ronald L. Hendee, L.C.S.W, Director of Assertive Community Outreach, Truman Medical Center Behavioral Health Network, Kansas City, Missouri

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

“Making the Transition from Residential Treatment to Spiritual Aftercare” – John Gary, Executive Director, Gibson Recovery Center, Sikeston, Missouri; & Wayne White, Director, Crossing Freedom from Addiction Program, Sikeston, Missouri

CIMOR LIVE! – The DMH CIMOR system will be coming your way soon. DMH facilities and contract providers will be using the new system in place of existing systems such as CTRAC and MRDD/IS. An overview and demonstration of CIMOR functionality will be presented.

“Comprehensive Children’s Mental Health” – Linda Roebuck, Office of Director, Department of Mental Health, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Emergency Planning for Special Need Populations” – Lynn Carter, Disaster Readiness, Department of Mental Health, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Missouri Substance Counselors’ Certification Board Update” – Shelby Hearne, Certification Board, Department of Mental Health, Division of Alcohol & Drug Abuse, Jefferson City, Missouri

“Drug Court Issues” – Judge Darrell Stevens, Butler County Supreme Court, Chico, California

“Community Support: What Helps Most, A Consumer Perspective” Donna Lay, West Plains Missouri, Geody Frazier, Kansas City, Missouri



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(573) 751-7814

Phone: (573) 751-4942
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1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Keynote Speaker
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Super Sessions



SIB SHOPS

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Sib Shop for Children ages 5-9, Ann Schad,
Judevine Center for Autism

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Sib Shop for Children ages 10-13, Ann Schad,
Judevine Center for Autism

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

FRIDAY, MAY 20

SALON A/B • 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

“On Our Own Terms: Emerging Autistic Culture” –
Martijn Dekker, Adult on the Autism Spectrum,
Groningen, Netherlands

Friday, May 20

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Exhibit Hall Open
8:00 a.m. – 5:15 p.m.	Respite Care
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Keynote Address
10:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Concurrent Sessions
12:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Sib Shops
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Luncheon
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Keynote Address
2:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
4:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Public Forum
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Reception

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

THURSDAY, MAY 19 • 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

“Children’s Issues” - John VanDenBerg, Ph.D., Denver,
Colorado President of Vroon VanDenBerg LLP, an innova-
tive firm supporting counties, states, and provinces in
their reform efforts.

SUPER SESSIONS

THURSDAY, MAY 19 • 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**“Independent Living on the Autism Spectrum: An
Open Discussion with the Audience”** - Martijn Dekker,
Adult on the Autism Spectrum, Groningen, Netherlands

**“Autism Safety and Risk: Contact with Law Enforce-
ment Agencies”** - Dennis Debbaudt, St. Lucie, Florida

Friday

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

**“The What’s, Why’s and
How’s of Medications in
Autism. An Audience
Driven Question and
Answer Session”** – Steven
Stoner, UMKC Schools of
Pharmacy & Medicine,
Kansas City, Missouri

**“Research and Treatment
in Missouri”** – Missouri
Autism Research and
Response Committee
(MARRA)

**“Strategies for Challeng-
ing Behaviors”** - Amy Buie,
Executive Director – Center
for Autism Education,
O’Fallon, Missouri

“Issues on Education” -
Susan Hawkins, Southwest
Missouri State University,
Springfield, Missouri

**“Employment Opportuni-
ties”** – Mike McCarthy,
Institute for Human Devel-
opment, University of
Missouri – KC, Kansas City,
Missouri

**“Scientific Evidence for
Specific Nutritional
Supplementation in
Autism and PDD”** –
William Shaw, Ph.D., Great
Plains Lab, Kansas City,
Missouri

**“Family Therapy as a
Treatment Approach for
Autism Spectrum Disor-
ders”** – Steven A.
Gritzmacher, Ph.D., HSP -
Licensed Psychologist &
Psychological Health Service
Provider, McAuley Counsel-
ing Services, Inc. Springfield
& Mt. Vernon, Missouri

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

SALON A/B • 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Presenting and Understanding Feeding Problems in Persons with ASD, Kay Toomey, Ph.D., Denver, Colorado

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 2:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

"Planning for the Future of Your Child or Dependent with Special Needs" – Mike Allen & Scott Adams, MetLife, Overland, Kansas

"The Science Behind Glyconutrients and Their Role in Health and Wellness" – Stan Shaffer, Mannatech, Inc., New Bloomfield, Missouri

"Asperger's – Strategies for the Difficult Student" – Amy Buie, Executive Director – Center for Autism Education, O'Fallon, Missouri

"Feeding Problems in Persons with ASD" – Kay Toomey, Ph.D., Denver, Colorado

"Research and Treatment in Missouri" – Missouri Autism Research and Response Committee (MARRA)

PUBLIC FORUM

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 4:15 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

"A Research and Response Agenda for Autism in Missouri", by Members of Missouri Autism Research and Response Committee

Saturday

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

SATURDAY, MAY 21 • 10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

"Nutritional Approaches to Oxidative Stress in Autism" – Woody McGinnis, M.D., Ashland, Oregon

"The Benefits of Therapeutic Riding for People with Autism" – Jeanne Brummet, Executive Director, Magic Moments Riding Therapy

"Navigating the System" – Jan Ward, St. Louis, Missouri

"Music Therapy: The Importance of Neural Processing of Musical Information in Autism Spectrum Disorders" – Kelley Pujol, M.Ed., M.M. MT-BC, Judevine Center for Autism – Southeast Missouri Autism Project

"Panel of Persons on the Spectrum" – Moderator Sonia O'Donnell, Judevine Center for Autism Outreach Services

"Choosing An Augmentative Communication Method: PECS or Sign Language" – Mike Woods, M.S. BCABA, Training Specialist, Judevine Center for Autism, St. Louis, Missouri

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8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Exhibit Hall Open

Networking

Respite Care

Brunch

Concurrent Sessions

Closing Keynote Address

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

SALON A/B • 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

"Oxidative Stress in Autism" – Woody McGinnis, M.D., Ashland, Oregon



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RESPIRE CARE REGISTRATION
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May 19-21, 2005

Payment must accompany registration.

Parent Co-Pay: \$50 per child/per day – Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Name of Child

Age

Sex

Parent/Guardian Name

Daytime Phone Number

Dates requesting care (please check)

Time of daycare

☐ Thursday, May 19

12:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

☐ Friday, May 20

8:00 a.m. – 5:15 p.m.

☐ Saturday, May 21

8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

☐ I can attend the Symposium even if respite care is no longer available.

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NOTE: Respite care is limited to individuals with autism, and their siblings, age three and above.

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Exhibit Logistics

Exhibit Booth Location and Hours

Exhibits will be located in Windgate Hall where all meal functions and refreshment breaks will be held. Exhibit hours are:

Wednesday	May 18	12:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Thursday	May 19	7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday	May 20	7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday	May 21	8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Exhibit Booth Size

An exhibit booth consists of an 8' x 10' space with pipe and drapes, one six-foot draped/skirted table, and two chairs. Electrical hook-ups are available for an additional charge.

Booth Fee

The cost for each booth is **\$300** (for-profit entities) and **\$150** (not-for-profit). If you require electrical access, there is an additional **\$50** charge per booth.

The exhibit fee includes participation in all conference meal functions for two people per organization.

Booth Set-Up and Break-Down

Set-up times are:

Tuesday	May 17	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday	May 18	8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Thursday	May 19	10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Break-down of booth space begins at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20. **NOTE:** Exhibitors for the Spring Training Institute only may dismantle booths prior to this time.

Shipment of Exhibit Materials

All shipping arrangements are the responsibility of the exhibitor. The conference hotel does not accept shipment of exhibit materials. Page and Brown Convention Services, Osage Beach, Missouri offers exhibit-handling services and can be reached at (573) 348-5176 for more information and shipping instructions. Any materials shipped in advance must be sent to Page and Brown and will be at the exhibitor's expense.

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EXHIBIT BOOTH REQUEST

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Please type or print

Name(s) of Exhibitors _____

Company (as it should appear in the conference program)

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

E-Mail Address _____

Phone _____ **Fax** _____



Payment

Payment for exhibit space is required in advance and can be made by check, money order, or purchase order made *payable to ACT Missouri and mailed to Spring Training Institute/Autism Symposium, Department of Mental Health, 1706 E. Elm Street, P.O. Box 687, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102*

The deadline for exhibitor requests and payment is May 1.

Please reserve _____ exhibit booth(s) at a cost of:

- ☐ **\$300 for-profit, per booth**
- ☐ **\$150 not-for-profit, per booth**
- ☐ **Electrical access required at \$50 per hook-up**

Total Enclosed: _____

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2005 Schedule

SPRING TRAINING INSTITUTE

Tuesday, May 17

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Registration

Wednesday, May 18

7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

12:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

2:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

Registration

Welcome and Opening

Keynote Session

Concurrent Sessions

Luncheon

Exhibit Hall Open

Keynote Sessions

Concurrent Sessions

Refreshment Break

Concurrent Sessions

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Breakfast

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NATIONAL AUTISM SYMPOSIUM

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Registration

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Opening Keynote Session

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